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SUBJ: "THESE UNITED STATES"

1. LAVISHLY ILLUSTRATED VOLUME "THESE UNITED STATES," BY FRED MAROON (PHOTOGRAPHS) AND HUGH SIDEY (TEXT), SCHEDULED FOR APRIL PUBLICATION, BEING MADE AVAILABLE TO AGENCY AT DRASTICALLY REDUCED PRICE. 160 OF BOOKS 256 PAGES CONSIST OF FULL-COLOR PHOTOGRAPHS OF AMERICA,ITS CITIES, TOWNS, NATIONAL MOMUMENTS, PARKS, WILDERNESS AND PEOPLE AT WORK AND PLAY. OVER 20 SMALL PICTURES, ALSO IN COLOR, INCLUDED. EACH OF 50 STATES AND DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA REPRESENTED BY AT LEAST ONE PHOTOGRAPH WITH TEXT PROVIDING COMMENT ON UNFOLDING PANORAMA. POSTS MOUNTING EXHIBIT MAROON PHOTOGRAPHS WILL BE PARTICULARLY INTERESTED IN BOOK, BUT OTHERS ALSO SHOULD FIND IT HIGHLY USEFUL IN REGULAR

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2. BOOK WILL RETAIL FOR \$34.95 BUT IS BEING OFFERED AGENCY AT \$10.00 PER COPY. WILL APPEAR ON CURRENT BOOKS LIST PRIOR TO PUBLICATION, BUT BECAUSE OF SPECIAL OFFER POSTS WILL BE ALLOWED TO ORDER COPIES SEPARATELY AT \$10.00 PLUS SHIPPING AND HANDLING. ORDERING INFORMATION WILL BE PROVIDED IN SEPARATE MESSAGE, BUT IN INTERIM, POSTS REQUESTED INDICATE BY TELEGRAM NUMBER OF COPIES DESIRED. REQUEST RESPONSE BY JANUARY 27. KISSINGER

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